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FM AMEMBASSY GEORGETOWN

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BPRO, ETRD, GY

SUBJECT: EXIMBANK REQUEST FOR EMBASSY COMMENT ON SALE OF  
BULLDOZERS TO GOG

REF: STATE 193874

BEGIN UNCLASSIFIED

1. EMBASSY HAS NO RPT NO OBJECTION TO EXIM GUARANTEE  
ON ECONOMIC GROUNDS. IMPROVED TERMS OF TRADE FOR GUYANA  
INDICATE GOG CAN EASILY SUSTAIN BORROWING LEVEL, ASSUMED  
BY SUBJECT SALE. MOREOVER, MINISTRY OF WORKS AND  
COMMUNICATIONS HAS ORDERED (CASH) FOUR MODEL TD15 BULL-  
DOZERS THROUGH LOCAL INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER AGENT IN  
GEORGETOWN(BOOKERS), FOR NOVEMBER DELIVERY. THIS SHOULD  
INCREASE POTENTIAL FOR SALE TO MINISTRYOF AGRICULTURE  
AND NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT. END UNCLASSIFIED.

2. EXIMBANK SHOULD BE AWARE, HOWEVER, OF POTENTIAL  
POLITICAL PROBLEM BETWEEN USG AND GUYANA. NEGOTIATIONS  
CURRENTLY UNDERWAY FOR INCREASED TAXATION AND/OR  
NATIONALIZATION OF REYNOLDS GUYANA MINES, LTD., WHOLLY-  
OWNED INTEREST OF REYNOLDS METALS OF US. REYNOLDS GUYANA  
IS INSUAED BY OPIC. GOG HAS VOTED TO NATIONALIZE COMPANY  
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BY END OF 1974. SHOULD FORMULA NOT RPT NOT MEET USG  
STANDARD FOR PROMPT, ADEQUATE, AND EFFECTIVE COMPENSATION,

RESULTING PROBLEM COULD AFFECT EXIMBANK POSITION VIS-A-VIS  
GUYANA. KREBS

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